



Allow enough time to use **Ask Montana**. Finding good information could take a few minutes, but may save time later.

The librarian may be helping several people at once, so please be patient.

Tell the librarian where you have already searched. This will help the librarian find new information and resources for you.

Ask for search tips. The librarian can help you become a better researcher, but they are not online to do your work for you.



Let the librarian know your specific assignment. For example, do you need books, articles, or Web sites?

You are being helped by a real person, not a search engine. Please be polite.

Try your own librarian. She/he can help you too!

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